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PRESS RELEASE

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Police Make Arrests In Second Buck Stop Robbery

On Sunday, 12-18-2011, at approximately 10:50 PM the Buck Stop Convenience Store located at 429 Shelton Avenue was robbed by a two males armed with knives. The clerk was threatened but was not injured. The suspects fled in an unknown direction with money from the store. This was the second robbery of the store in 9 days. Police Detectives developed leads and yesterday executed search warrants at a Shelton residence and a Derby residence with the assistance of Derby Police. Police also had arrest warrants for the two suspects in the robbery.

Arrested were 19 year old Jonathan Russell of 6 Richard Boulevard, Shelton, and 19 year old Nicholos Cowell of 204 Derby Avenue, Derby. Both were charged with Robbery 1st Degree and Larceny 4th Degree. Neither was able to post the court set \$250,000.00 bond. Both will be arraigned today in Derby Superior Court.

At the time of his arrest, there were two outstanding arrest warrants for Russell. Russell was arrested on two counts of Violation of Probation. Bonds in those arrests totaled \$35,000.00. During the course of the investigation, detectives located several stolen items from motor vehicles, garages and sheds. More arrests are expected in the future.

Residents are urged to lock their cars and to close their garage doors at night. Anyone with information about thefts is asked to call the Shelton Police at 203-924-1544.